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UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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Attention: APPLICATION BRANCH
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Sir:

A Notification of Missing Requirements, dated December 27, 2001, indicated that the following items are missing from the above-captioned application:

Oath or Declaration.

However, Applicant respectfully submits that the above-cited item was filed on November 21, 2001. A copy of each paper filed is attached hereto, along with a copy of the date-stamped postcard evidencing receipt of these papers in the PTO on November 21, 2001.


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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit any fees set forth in §1.16 or §1.17 to Deposit Account No. 06-1358 as needed in order to effect proper filing of the application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office on the date stamped hereon:

- ☒ International Search Report (Austria) (210)
- ☒ Request (101)
- ☒ PCT/IB/301/304/306/308 Form(s)
- ☒ First Page of Publ.
- ☒ 34 pg. Specif. with 14 claims and Abstract
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Assignment document and cover sheet

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